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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), petition is made for a three (3) month extension of time extending the response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2001 to Monday, December 17, 2001. An Amendment and a check in the amount of \$460.00 for the extension fee are enclosed herewith. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any further extension and/or fee that is required to Deposit Order Account 19-0079.

Respectfully submitted,

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